

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Ara HOVANESSIAN et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/393,302)
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Filed: September 10, 1999)
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For: A NOVEL CELL SURFACE)
RECEPTOR FOR HIV RETROVIRUSES,)
THERAPEUTIC AND DIAGNOSTIC USES)



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1.16 or 1.17 which are not enclosed, including any fees required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, please charge those fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-916.

Respectfully submitted,

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